Astronomy and Physics

Technology Planning Update

Briefing to the OS and SEUS

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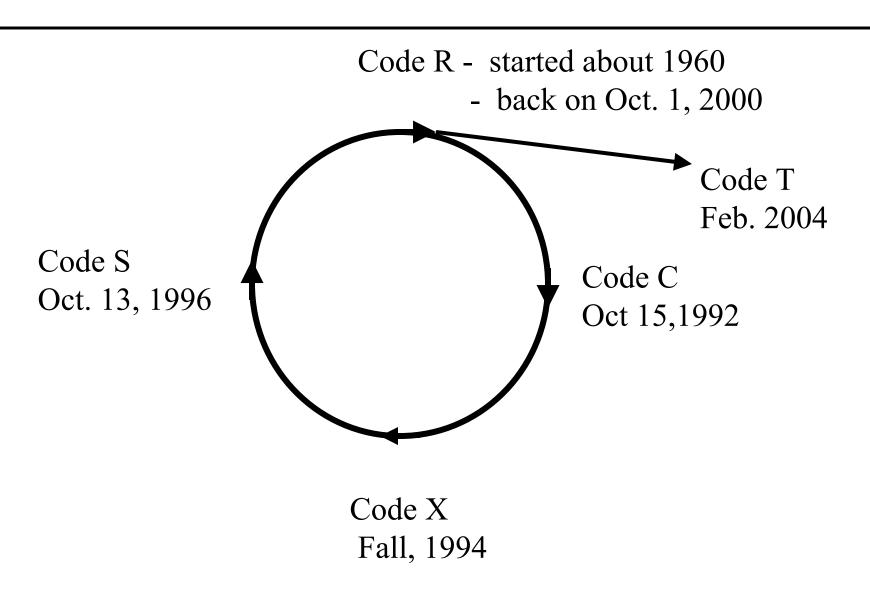
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Topics

- 1) the Astronomy and Physics **Technology Brochure**
- 2) the Astronomy and Physics

 Enabling Technology Requirements Document
- 3) transfer of the Code R Space Technology program to Code T.

Spacecraft Technology Program History



Code T plans

- -I talked to John Mankins yesterday (Feb. 23, 2004)
 - Contractor review of all Code R Space Technology tasks due to Code T in early March, 2004
 - -Code T will then determine what to continue
 - -timing of this is not yet known
 - -For first time, tech program is in an Office that has responsibility for its own projects.
 - vehicles and missions
 - -Code T is not an Institutional Program Office
 - -does not have responsibility for Centers.

Request to OS and SEUS

Would like your feedback and advice on the Enabling Technology Requirements document

- format
- areas of coverage
- depth of coverage
- etc.

How can this document be made most useful to the Astronomy and Physics community and the groups we work with on technology development?